



Confined Space Rescue

Checklist for First Responders

Objectives: Assess scene, Control hazards, Rescue victim(s), Evacuate victims from scene.

☐ **[Announce IOSR]**

☐ Establish Command

☐ Assess Scene

☐ Establish staging area

☐ **[Announce SUR]**

☐ **Location** update as needed, include information about staging and access

☐ **Conditions** incl. description of incident and hazards found

☐ **Actions** taken to stabilize the scene and intended future actions

☐ **Needs** resources required

☐ **Initial Actions**

☐ Isolate and deny entry

☐ Determine best/safest access

☐ Control hazards

☐ Lock-Out/Tag-Out

☐ Protect patient when possible

☐ Mark hot/warm/cold zones

☐ **Rescue**

☐ Support self-rescue

☐ Lowering a ladder into a trench or confined space so the victim(s) can climb out on their own

☐ **Stop: Further actions require Technical Rescue Team**